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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Michael Robert Costello

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Sir:

This Amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR § 1.114. In response to the Office Action mailed October 4, 2006, please amend the above-referenced application as indicated and consider the following Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

The **Conclusion** begins on page 9 of this paper.

A Request for Extension of Time is enclosed herewith.